

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

IN RE WORLD TRADE CENTER LOWER  
MANHATTAN DISASTER SITE LITIGATION

TERESITA CAYETANO.

Plaintiff,

- against -

100 CHURCH, LLC, *et al.*,

Defendants.

21 MC 102 (AKH)

07-CV-05282-AKH

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION  
OF ANSWER  
TO MASTER COMPLAINT  
BY MERRILL LYNCH**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT Defendant Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. (“Merrill Lynch”), as and for its responses to the allegations set forth in the Complaint by Adoption (Check-Off Complaint) Related to the Master Complaint filed in the above-referenced action, hereby adopts Merrill Lynch’s Answer to Master Complaint, dated August 3, 2007, which was filed in the matter of *In re World Trade Center Lower Manhattan Disaster Site Litigation*, 21 MC 102 (AKH). To the extent that the Check-Off Complaint in this action alleges a relationship between 100 Church Street and Merrill Lynch, Merrill Lynch avers that it never reoccupied the building at this location after September 11, 2001 and that it terminated all lease arrangements covering this location effective May 8, 2003.

WHEREFORE, Merrill Lynch demands judgment dismissing the above-captioned action as against it, together with its costs and disbursements and for such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York  
September 14, 2007

DICKSTEIN SHAPIRO LLP

By: /s/ Judith R. Cohen

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